

I am a 26-year-old registered Republican voter. I feel that the FCC and federal government have over-stepped their boundaries and infringed upon my rights and the basic rights of all Americans in my listening area by imposing outrageous fines on some of our local radio talent. I am specifically infuriated with the actions taken against the "Bubba the Love Sponge Show". This show has a warning at the beginning of each segment, and each time they return from a commercial. I do not always agree with what they have to say, but it is my right to change the channel in those cases. IF YOU ARE TRULY JUDGING HOW THE SHOW "SERVES" THE LOCAL COMMUNITY, WHY DON'T YOU COMMEND THEM FOR THEIR CHARITY WORK AND THE WORK THAT THEY HAVE DONE TO EXPOSE TRUE INJUSTICES IN THE AREA??? IF YOU ARE TRULY JUDGING HOW THE LOCAL COMMUNITY FEELS ABOUT THE SHOW...LOOK AT THE RATINGS!! I have supported Republican politicians and issues without waver until now. If Mr. Powell and President Bush continue to try to impose their ideals over my basic right to choose what I listen to, and the 1st Amendment to the Constitution, this will be the first of many years that I will vote Democrat in every forum. I HAVE BEEN LOYAL TO YOU, RETURN THE FAVOR, AND BE LOYAL TO MY RIGHTS!!v